



## Park Road Surgery - Teddington

### BOOSTER COVID VACCINATIONS

We are now inviting patients for their booster covid vaccinations.

You should receive an invite once it has been three months since from your second dose. You will receive a letter from the national booking system or from us, the surgery. If you don't hear from either then do contact the surgery.

We are only doing set clinics at the moment and you will be contacted to be invited for these. These clinics do get filled up so if we have run out to what is suitable to you then contact 119 or go on the NHS website and book the vaccination in that way elsewhere.

If had the vaccines done abroad then you can now register these on the NHS website. Please can you also bring in or send a copy of the vaccinations to us showing the necessary details on them. We will then put them on our system as well.



“STILL TAKING IN BOOKINGS FOR THE FLU VACCINATIONS”

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### FLU VACCINATIONS

If you are eligible for an NHS flu vaccination then we are currently still taking in bookings for these. Please phone the surgery to this asap.

You can also go to the local pharmacies to get the vaccine done there. Just be sure to con-

tact the pharmacies beforehand to ensure that they have stock available.

If you are receiving messages etc. and have already had the vaccine then please contact the surgery to inform us the date and place you had it

done. We will then update your records as necessary.

## GETTING READY FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

We hope that you and your families are looking forward to the festive period.

As we are getting close to Christmas now there are more demand on getting appointments with the doctors.

Please be patient with us as we do get high volume of calls everyday to book appointments and the pre-bookable slots do book a few weeks in advance.

We can only pre-book up 3 weeks ahead for the doctors. Any nurses appointments we can book slightly further ahead.

If the GP you are requesting to

see is not available then one of the other GPs will be able to help with your query.

Also, be aware that the practice will be closed over the bank holiday weekend so be sure to put repeat prescriptions in plenty of time. It takes up to three working days to get the prescriptions sorted out.

Please note that we will be closed on Monday 27th and Tuesday 28th December and Monday 3rd January.



*“still needing to wear face a face mask”*

## CONTINUING TO WEAR FACE COVERINGS

Following the UK Government guidelines all patients coming to the practice are still needing to wear a face mask.

This is a requirement for all healthcare buildings.

This is aimed to everyone unless you are exempt from wearing one.

We as a practice will continue to maintain the protocols that are put into place to keep you and all staff members safe.

When booking your appointments we remind you that when you come to the practice you should wear a face mask.

Thank you.

*“If you have one or more of these symptoms you will be asked to do a PCR test”*

## BOOKING IN APPOINTMENTS

We are booking more come in appointments to see the doctors depending on what the situation is so timings might differ slightly.

When you book for an appointment in we ask if you have any of the covid symptoms, such as high temperature, cough or loss of taste and smell. If you have one or more of these symptoms you will be asked to do a PCR test before coming to the practice to see the doctors.

If you need to speak to the doctors you will be offered a phone call appointment and advised to have the PCR test as soon as you can.

It's ideal that you have the PCR test done and have the results before making the appointment to avoid disappointment.

We also sometimes book patients in to a hub practice at either Hampton Wick or Essex House Surgery in Barnes, but

this would be discussed with you when booking an appointment.

## DR J BRADLEY PASSING

It is with much sadness that we announce the passing of Dr. Julian Bradley on 24th June 2021.

Julian worked as an NHS Doctor since 1973, and was a partner at Park Road Surgery, caring for the residents of Teddington, for 40 years until his retirement in 2020.



He will be missed greatly by his family, friends, colleagues, and profession.

*“He will be missed greatly”*

## PCR TESTING

If you have any of the following symptoms you will be required to do a PCR test if wanting to have an appointment with the doctors in the surgery:

- High temperature
- Cough
- Loss of taste and smell

There is a walk in center close to the practice in Broom Road, Teddington, there you can get a test done.

The results usually come back within 24 hours but maybe a little longer.

We do prefer if you have had one of the symptoms listed to get a PCR test rather than a lateral flow tests as the PCR is the recommended one to take.

## DR F GILBERT HAD HER BABY

Dr Francesca Gilbert went on maternity leave in July and we congratulate Fran and her husband on the birth of a beautiful baby boy.

All is going well and everyone in the team here at the practice are wishing them well and all the best and hope to see her back in the new year.

## GETTING RESULTS

Patients are required to call the practice one week after they had their blood tests done.

Please note that urine samples they take up to a week and stool samples take up to two weeks to come back to us.

Please only call from Tuesday—Friday after 10am to call about your blood test results. When calling in we will check what comments have been made by your GP and if there is a need for a doctors phone call to discuss the results.

In which case we can book in specific slots for test results. Bear in mind these slots are only 5 minutes and used only for test results anything more a doctors appointment will need to be made.

When had an x-ray or scan done in another hospital the results of those might take longer than a week to come back to us. By all means call in a weeks time but bear in mind that it may take longer.

<https://parkroadsurgeryteddington.co.uk/>

You can visit the surgery website to get the latest details on what is happening on the news feed you can also find lots of information about the practice.

For examples details about:

- Appointments
- Home visits
- Blood tests
- Prescriptions
- NHS health check
- Children immunisations
- Information on the practice
- Physiotherapy self referrals

### Opening Times

- **Monday:** 08:30 until 20:00(Extended Hours: 18:30 - 20:00)
- **Tuesday:** 08:30 until 18:30
- **Wednesday:** 07:00 until 18:30(Extended Hours: 07:00 - 08:00)
- **Thursday:** 08:30 until 18:30
- **Friday:** 07:00 until 18:30(Extended Hours: 07:00 - 08:00)
- **Saturday/Sunday and Bank Holidays:** CLOSED

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